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Outreach Seminar Updates of the Statistical Manuals (BPM7 and 2025 SNA)

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Time: 2:00 PM (Addis Ababa)

Day 1: Joint Session—BPM7 and 2025 SNA STATAFRIC and UNECA Opening Remarks (15 min) JL-1 Main Objectives, Priorities, and Procedures for **Updating the Balance of Payments** Jim Tebrake and International Investment Position Manual and the System of National **Deputy Director** Accounts Manual IMF Statistics Dept (30 min) Yves Djoufack JL-2 Building Blocks: Integrated Framework, Accounting Principles, Economic Territory, Institutional Sectors, and Residence. Senior Economist IMF Statistics Dept (30 min) JL-3 Jennifer Ribarsky Globalization Deputy Chief, IMF Statistics Dept (30 min) Break (15 min) Patrick Quill JL-4 Digitalization Senior Economist IMF Statistics Dept (30 min) Sanjiv Mahajan JL-5 Communicating and Disseminating Economic Statistics Supporting Editor, 2025 SNA and Lead Drafter "Communicating and Disseminating Economic Statistics" (30 min) (30 min) Discussion and Questions Day 2: BPM7 Wilson Phiri BL-1 BPM7: Main Features and Outline Senior Economist IMF Statistics Dept (15 min)

Yves Djoufack Senior Economist	BL-2	BPM7: Cross-cutting themes
IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)		
Yves Djoufack Senior Economist IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)	BL-3	BPM7: Current and Capital Account
Break (15 min)		
Wilson Phiri	BL-4	BPM7: Integrated International Investment Position: Direct Investment, Portfolio
Senior Economist		Investment
IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)		
Kristy Howell	BL-5	BPM7: Integrated International Investment Position: Other Investment, Reserve
Deputy Chief,		Assets
IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)		
(30 min)		Discussion and Questions
		Day 3: 2025 SNA
Pete Harper	SL-1	2025 SNA: Overview and Main Changes
SNA Update Project Manager (45		
min)		
Francien Berry	SL-2	2025 SNA: Financial Issues
Economist		
IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)		
Break (15 min)		
Emmanuel Manolikakis	SL-3	2025 SNA: Wellbeing and Sustainability
Senior Economist		
IMF Statistics Dept 30 min		
Francien Berry	SL-4	2025 SNA: Informal Economy
Economist		
IMF Statistics Dept (30 min)		
30 min		Discussion and Questions